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Stocking Rose Gardens

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All American Trio

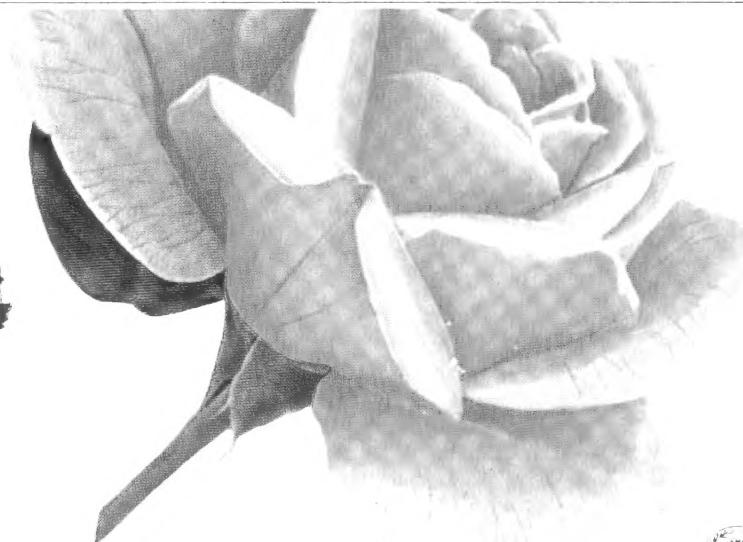
These three All American Rose Selections are outstanding varieties which will bring quantities of beautiful pink, red, and yellow bloom into your gardens. Tiffany, the 1955 hybrid tea winner is an excellent, large pink flower of unusually delightful fragrance; Chrysler Imperial produces large fragrant blooms of rich red; the qualities of Peace are so well known that they need no description. All three of these varieties are sturdy plants, disease resistant, and excellent for cut flowers.

One each of these three varieties \$6.90

You save 1.10

(In Calif. add 3% sales tax)

TIFFANY



PEACE



CHRYSLER
IMPERIAL



All American Five

The five All American winners on this page are robust growers. Queen Elizabeth, the 1955 AARS grandiflora winner may easily reach six feet for you. All of them will produce quantities of bloom throughout the season in delightful shades of clear pink, yellow, orange, red, and apricot-pink. It is interesting to note that Charlotte Armstrong is the parent of all four roses.

One each of these five varieties \$10.90

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QUEEN
ELIZABETH

CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG

We reserve the right
to substitute on
special collections if
necessary.



HELEN
TRAUBEL

MOJAVE

SUTTER'S
GOLD



Five Fine Roses

BLANCHE MALLERIN

Red, yellow, pink, white, and coral—a wonderful color range for the garden and for cut flowers for the home. This is an attractive and desirable collection wherever you may live as each plant is a husky, free blooming bush that is outstanding in its color range.

One each of these five varieties \$8.80

You save 1.45

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GOLDEN SCEPTER

MME.
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FIRST LOVE

NEW YORKER

Old Favorites

Here are five roses that have won acclaim everywhere! Several of them were outstanding patented varieties and each is excellent in its color range. An ideal gift for the family starting a garden or landscaping a new home. Roses you know are always welcome gifts.

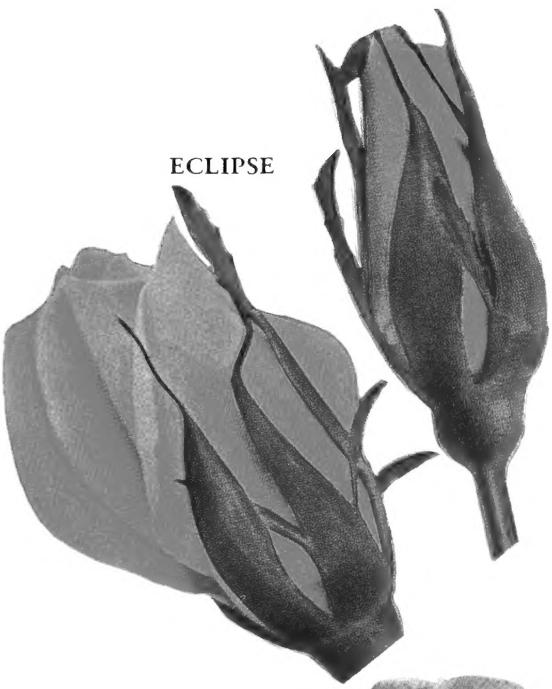
One each of these five varieties \$6.40
You save 1.10
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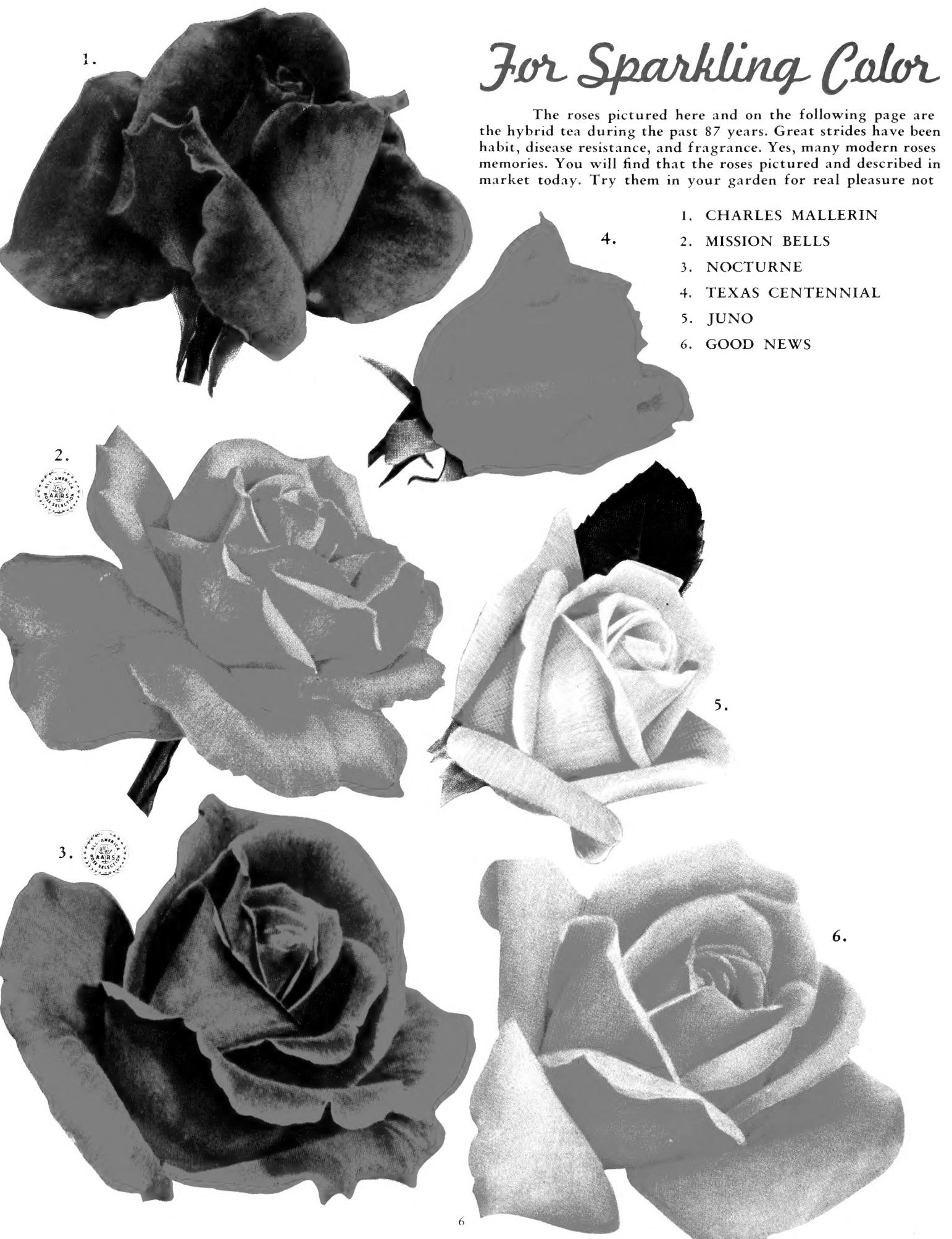


MRS. SAM
MC GREDY



CRIMSON
GLORY





For Sparkling Color

The roses pictured here and on the following page are the hybrid tea during the past 87 years. Great strides have been made in habit, disease resistance, and fragrance. Yes, many modern roses are a joy to behold. You will find that the roses pictured and described in this catalog are the best in the market today. Try them in your garden for real pleasure not just for show.

1. CHARLES MALLERIN
2. MISSION BELLS
3. NOCTURNE
4. TEXAS CENTENNIAL
5. JUNO
6. GOOD NEWS

Plant Hybrid Teas

further examples of the progress made in the development of
made since the first hybrid teas appeared in color, form, plant
actually are more fragrant than some of the roses of your
this catalogue include most of the outstanding varieties on the
only in the coming season but in the years to come.

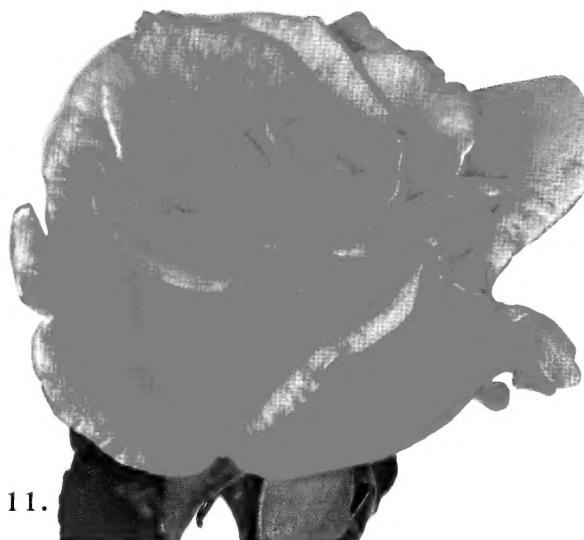
7. FORTY-NINER
8. SONATA
9. TALLY-HO
10. MRS. P. S. DUPONT
11. AUTUMN
12. SUZON LOTTHE



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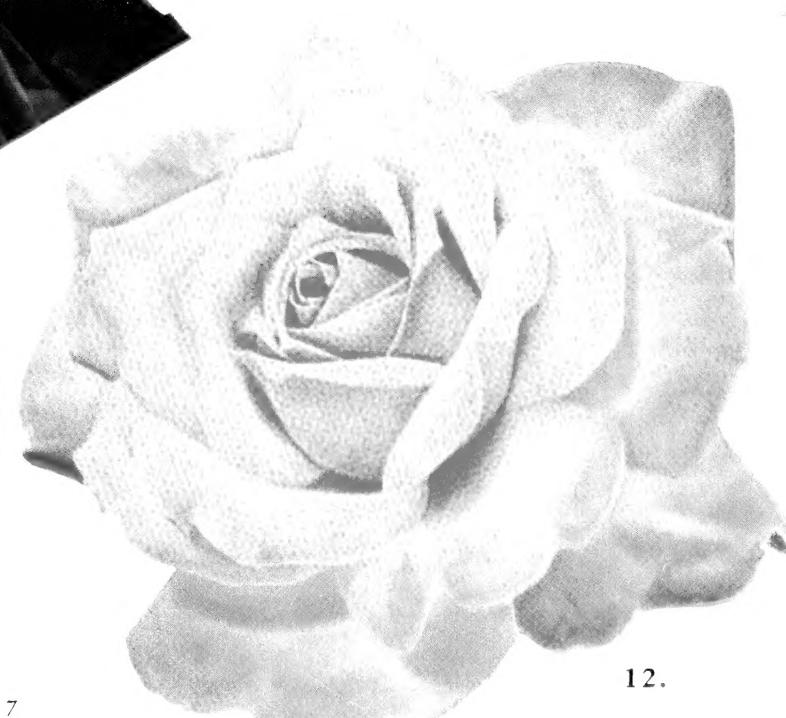
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Hybrid Teas

MIRANDY



COUNTESS
VANDAL

FANDANGO

MARK SULLIVAN

FRED EDMUNDS

The New World

A rosebush was by Science reared,
That never any war has feared,
Since in this world which is the new,
It has not changed its scarlet hue.

For not a rose is battle-scarred,
And of their beauty nothing marred,
Like roses that are overseas,
And men who met their destinies.

Ah, yes, its roots in earth are free,
And man has died that they may be,
Untrammeled by the despot's tread,
And live in fear of him and dread!

So may the rosebush symbolize,
The greater glory here that lies,
To bloom for man that he will find,
The way to Peace the roses wind.

Clarence Edward Heller.

TO OUR ROSE FRIENDS

It is time again and our pleasure to mail to you our annual booklet describing our roses. Several of the older varieties have been dropped to make room for some of the fine new introductions.

We want to thank you for your patronage this last year and trust you have had a wonderful rose season. How we do enjoy the enthusiastic letters we have received and we would appreciate your telling us if you have had any disappointments. It is our aim to bring real enjoyment to you through our roses.

We wish it were possible for each and everyone of you to see our fields of roses now, the middle of July. The roses range in height from two to five feet, depending upon the varieties, and are a mass of bloom. The exceptional vigor this year is due to growing on virgin soil.

Please feel free to call on us at any time for help in planning or maintaining your rose garden. It was a great pleasure to us this year to have the opportunity of meeting so many of our out of state patrons. We hope to meet more of you this next year, and hear of the enjoyment you are having with roses.

Cordially yours,

Clyde & Ramona Stocking
George Haight

THE ALL AMERICA ROSE SELECTIONS

The roses carrying this distinctive emblem are the most outstanding introductions of recent years. New introductions are being judged yearly in the twenty-one All American Rose Selection Test Gardens and the five demonstration gardens.

The A.A.R.S. is an organization of nurserymen and hybridizers banded together for the specific purpose of selecting the best new introductions each year. New varieties are sent to the test and demonstration gardens each year where they are tested for a period of two years. These roses are scored on thirteen basic points such as form, habit, disease resistance, etc. At the end of the two year trial period, if any of the roses have attained a high enough score and are worthy of introduction to the general public in the opinion of the judges, they are given the coveted All American Award.

We are fortunate in having one of the twenty-one test gardens here on our growing grounds. You are cordially invited to visit it to preview the new roses of the next two years.

GUARANTEE—We guarantee every plant to be true to name, to reach you in good condition, and to live and bloom in your garden providing the simple directions for planting included with every order are followed and weather conditions are not abnormal. We shall replace without charge any rose that fails to meet the above conditions if you will kindly notify us within six months after the rose has been received.

SHIPPING—Our new rose crop is available about the end of December, at which time we commence shipping and continue through the middle of March. We shall ship your order as promptly as possible at the proper planting time for your locality. Great care is taken in filling orders as well as in packing them to insure their reaching destinations in perfect condition. If through delay in shipping, the bushes should appear dry, bury the bushes in a trench, cover them completely with earth and keep wet for four days. Wet peat moss may be used if preferred. We will not be liable for plant losses as a result of flood, drought, frost or other causes beyond our control.

DISCOUNTS—When purchasing 10 or more plants regardless of varieties, bushes, or climbers, please deduct 10% except on special groups where no further discounts are allowed. Tree roses may not be included in this discount.

TERMS—In keeping with the general practice of nurseries throughout the country, may we suggest you send cash with your orders. In cases where substitutions are not desired, prompt refunds will be made in appreciation of your initial kindness to us. We do not send any orders C.O.D. California purchasers please add 3% sales tax.

PACKING AND SHIPPING—We shall pay delivery charges on all bush and climber orders over \$5.00 to any point in the U. S. On each shipment less than \$5.00 please add 50¢. There is a packing and mailing charge of 50¢ for each tree rose.

Foreign orders are requested to write for information requesting an estimate of shipping costs.

POTTED PLANTS—Potted plants are available about April first and throughout the summer at a slight increase over the prices listed in the catalogue. A fine collection of miniature roses is also available in four inch pots during the spring and summer. **WE DO NOT SHIP ANY POTTED MATERIAL**.

PRICES—Prices are subject to change without notice.

SUBSTITUTIONS—It is our deepest desire to supply each and everyone with the desired varieties of roses. However, due to unforeseen circumstances, such as crop failures and unknown demands, we cannot always supply all of the varieties you order. *Thus to eliminate correspondence and delay, may we ask if we may substitute varieties of equal or more value in the same color range as ordered, using our knowledge of the adaptability of varieties to your region, as our guide?* It is our desire to serve you and to do it well; thus we ask this privilege of substitution. Please designate (yes or no) such permission on your order.

PINTO TAG

We are pleased that our nursery, which was the first in Northern California to receive this award, has successfully maintained it. The Pinto Tag signifies that the nursery has been given a clean bill of health and that the stock may be shipped into most of the counties of the state without further inspection.

CATALOGUE LIST

While we have given the average height and habit of growth in the following table, it must be remembered that plants may vary greatly in different soils, climates and gardening techniques.

KEY: { U—Upright
S—Spreading
*—Still testing
General—Generally good in U. S.

HYBRID TEA ROSES

(AARS—All American Rose Selection)

VARIETY	COLOR	HEIGHT	HABIT	ADAPTABILITY	PRICE
Angels Mateu	Orange-old rose	2½	S	General	\$1.50
Autumn	Burnt orange	3½-4	U-S	"	1.50
Blanche Mallerin	White	3	U	Warm climate	2.00
AARS Capistrano	Pink	5-6	U	General	2.00
Caprice	Red & yellow	4	U-S	"	1.50
Charles Mallerin	Deep red	5-6	U	"	2.50
AARS Charlotte Armstrong	Deep pink	3-4	S	"	2.25
Christopher Stone	Red	2	S	"	1.50
AARS Chrysler Imperial	Crimson	3	U-compact	"	2.50
Countess Vandal	Pink & buff	2½	U	"	1.50
Crested Pink Moss	Pink	5	U	Warm	1.50
Crimson Glory	Red	3-4	S	Warmer areas	1.50
Dainty Bess	Pale pink	3-4	U	General	1.25
Debonair	Yellow	3	S	"	1.75
Duchess of Penaranda	Apricot	3	U	"	1.25
Eclipse	Yellow	3-4	U	"	1.50
Ellen Willmott	Shell pink	4-5	U	Cool climates	1.50
Ena Harkness	Medium red	2-3	U	General	1.50
Etoile de Holland	Red	3	U-S	"	1.50
Fandango	Light red	2½	S	"	2.00
First Love	Dawn pink	4-5	U-S	"	2.25
AARS Forty Niner	Red & yellow	3	U	Rocky Mt. area. Varies in others	2.50
Frau Karl Druschki	White	4-5	U-S	General	1.25
AARS Fred Edmunds	Orange	2	S	"	2.00
AARS Fred Howard	Buff yellow	5-6	U-S	"	2.50
Girona	Red & yellow	5-6	U	"	1.50
Golden Scepter	Golden Yellow	3	S	"	2.00
Good News	Coppery pink	3-4	U-S	"	2.00
AARS Grande Duchesse Charlotte	Tomato red	4	U	"	2.00
AARS Helen Traubel	Apricot-pink	4-5	U-S	General	2.50
J. Otto Thilow	Pink	3-4	U-S	"	1.50
Juno	Pink	2½	U	"	2.25
Korovo	Peach pink	3	U-S	"	1.50
AARS K. T. Marshall	Salmon pink	4-5	U	"	1.75
Lady Forteviot	Apricot yellow	3	U-S	Pacific Coast	1.50
Lady Trent	Coppery salmon	2	U	General	1.50
AARS Lowell Thomas	Yellow	3	U	"	2.00
Lulu	Salmon rose	2	S	"	1.25
Lydia	Deep yellow	2½-3	U-S	"	1.50
Mark Sullivan	Yellow & cerise	4	S	Pacific Coast—Rocky Mts.	1.75
McGredy's Sunset	Yellow	2½	S	General	1.75
McGredy's Yellow	Yellow	3	U-S	"	1.50
AARS Mirandy	Dark red	2½	U	South-Warm climate	2.25
AARS Mission Bells	Salmon pink	3-4	U-S	General	2.00
Mme. Cochet Cochet	Coppery pink	2-3	S	"	1.50
Mme. Henri Guillot	Coral red	2-3	S	"	2.00
AARS Mojave	Orange	4	U	"	2.75
Mrs. Edward Laxton	Old rose	3-4	U	Pacific Coast	1.50
Mrs. Miniver	Scarlet crimson	2½	U-S	General	2.50
Mrs. Pierre S. du Pont	Yellow	2½	S	"	1.25
Mrs. Sam McGredy	Salmon	2½	S	"	1.50
Neige Parfum	White	2	U	"	1.50
Neville Chamberlain	Salmon-buff	2½	U-S	Pacific Coast	1.75
New Yorker	Red	3-4	U	General	2.00
AARS Nocturne	Dark red	3	U	General except S. F. Bay area	2.00
Numa Fay	Orange salmon	2½	S	General	1.50
AARS Peace	Yellow	3-4	U-S	"	2.50
Peach Blow	Peach pink	2½-3	U	"	1.50
Picture	Pink	2-3	U	"	1.50
Pres. Hoover	Orange-pink	5-6	U	General	1.25
Pres. Macia	Pale pink	2½-3	S	South	1.50
AARS Rubaiyat	Red	3-4	U	General	1.75
AARS San Fernando	Red	2-3	U	Warm Areas	1.75
Saturnia	Red & salmon	3-4	S	Cool Areas	1.75
Show Girl	Pink	3	U	General	2.00
Signora	Burnt Sienna	4	U	"	1.75
Snowbird	White	2-4	S	"	1.50
Sonata	Pink	3	U	General	1.75
Susan Louise	Pale pink	5-6	U-S	South & West	1.50
ARS Sutter's Gold	Yellow	4-5	U	General	2.25
Suzon Lotthe	Pearl pink	4-5	U	"	2.00
Sweet Sixteen	Light pink	3-4	S	"	1.75

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..... Talisman	Red-yellow	3-4	U	"	1.25
AARS Tallyho	Old rose	3-5	U	"	2.00
..... Texas Centennial	Light red	5-6	U	"	1.50
AARS The Chief	Rose-flame	3-4	S	"	1.75
..... The Doctor	Pink	2½	U	"	1.50
AARS Tiffany	Silvery pink, flushed gold	3-4	U	Warm areas	3.00

GRANDIFLORAS

..... Buccaneer	Clear yellow	5-7	U	General	\$2.75
..... Carrousel	Red	3-4	U-S	"	2.00
AARS Queen Elizabeth	Clear pink	5-6	U	"	3.00

POLYANTHA AND FLORIBUNDA ROSES

..... Baby Blaze	Cherry red	2½-3	U-S	General	\$2.25
..... Betty Prior	Carmine	5-6	U-S	"	1.50
..... Cecile Brunner	Pink	3	S	"	1.50
..... Cocorico	Orange red	3-4	U	"	2.00
..... Denny Boy	Orange yellow	1½-2	Bushy	Cool	1.75
AARS Fashion	Coral pink	2½	U-S	General	2.00
AARS Floradora	Scarlet-orange	4-6	U	"	1.50
..... Frensham	Red	3-4	U-S	"	1.50
..... Garnette	Red	1½-2	Bushy	"	1.50
..... Goldilocks	Yellow	2½-4	S	"	1.50
AARS Jiminy Cricket	Tangerine	2½-3	U-S	"	2.50
AARS Lilibet	Dawn pink	2-3	S	"	2.00
AARS Ma Perkins	Shell pink	2-3	U-S	"	2.00
..... Margo Koster	Pale orange	2	compact	"	1.25
..... Masquerade	Yellow-pink-red	3	S	"	2.00
..... Pink Bountiful	Pink	3-4	U	"	1.50
AARS Pinkie	Pink	2	compact	"	1.75
..... Pinocchio	Salmon-pink	3-4	S	"	1.50
..... Poulsen's Bedder	Rose pink	3-4	U	"	1.50
..... Red Favorite	Deep red	2-3	U	"	2.00
..... Red Pinocchio	Red	3	S	"	1.50
..... Rosenelfe	Pink	3-4	U	"	1.50
..... Sunshine	Golden orange	1	S	Pacific Coast	1.50
..... The Fairy	Shell pink	2½	S	General	1.50
AARS Vogue	Cherry coral	3-4	U-S	"	2.00

CLIMBING ROSES

..... Clg. Autumn	Burnt orange	12	General		\$1.50
..... Clg. Blaze	Scarlet	10-15	General		1.50
..... Clg. Cecile Brunner	Pink	20-30	South & West U.S.		1.50
..... Clg. Char. Armstrong	Deep pink	15	General		3.00
..... Clg. Christopher Stone	Red	8-10	General		1.75
..... Clg. Crimson Glory	Red-dark	8-10	South & West U.S.		2.50
..... Clg. Dainty Bess	Pink	10-15	General		1.50
..... Clg. Duchess of Perneranda	Apricot	10-15	South & West U.S.		1.50
..... Clg. E. G. Hill	Red	10-15	" " " "		1.50
..... Clg. Etoile de Holland	Red	15-20	" " " "		1.50
..... Clg. Goldilocks	Yellow	15	General		2.50
..... Clg. Goldrush	Golden yellow	8	General		1.50
AARS Clg. High Noon	Yellow	8-12	South & West U.S.		2.50
..... Clg. Hinrich Gaede	Orange-red	10-20	" " " "		1.75
..... Clg. Lady Forteviot	Apricot-yellow	15-20	Coastal & West. U.S.		1.50
..... Clg. Lowell Thomas	Yellow	8-10	General		2.75
..... Clg. Mermaid	Yellow	15-20	General		2.00
..... Clg. Mme. Henri Guillot	Coral red	8-10	South & West		2.00
..... Clg. Mrs. Sam McGredy	Salmon	15-20	" " "		1.75
..... Clg. Paul's Scarlet	Red	10-15	General		1.50
..... Clg. Peace	Yellow	15	"		2.00
..... Clg. Picture	Pink	8-15	South & West		2.00
..... Clg. Pinkie	Pink	8-10	*		2.75
..... Clg. Pinocchio	Salmon-pink	15	General		2.50
..... Clg. Red Talisman	Red	15-20	South & West		1.50
..... Clg. Renae	Pink	8-10	General		2.75
..... Clg. Snowbird	White	6-8	General		1.50
..... Clg. Souvenir de Claudius Denoyel	Crimson	10	"		1.50
..... Clg. Sungold	Yellow	10-20	South & West		1.75
..... Clg. Sutter's Gold	Yellow	15	General		2.75
..... Clg. Talisman	Red yellow	15-20	South & West		1.50
..... Clg. Texas Centennial	Light Red	15-20	" " "		2.00

Bush Roses

Patented varieties of roses listed are being handled under license from the patent owners.

ANGELS MATEU	\$1.50	CHRYSLER IMPERIAL  (Lammerts '53) \$2.50
A gold medal winner in 1934. The large double blooms are deep old rose flushed with orange, with a ripe raspberry fragrance. An upright growing plant with large glossy, disease-resistant foliage.		A magnificent large red rose of unusually fine fragrance. The high centered crimson red buds open to flowers of 40-50 petals, which hold their color very well although there is some bluing in cool, damp weather. The disease resistant foliage is a semi-glossy dark green that covers the plant to the ground, making a compact, attractive shrub. Chrysler is generous with its blooms which are borne on average length stems and are excellent for cutting.
AUTUMN	\$1.50	PLANT PAT. 1167
An unusual combination of deep burnt orange and pink streaked with red. Moderately fragrant and very lasting. The bush is a strong upright grower with an abundance of thick glossy foliage. Mildews in some locations. Excellent in coastal regions.		
BLANCHE MALLERIN	\$2.00	COUNTESS VANDAL \$1.50
A pure white fragrant rose whose long buds open to 3 1/2 to 4 inch blooms. The petals of this high centered flower have a lively satiny sheen. Plants are erect, free branching, and good bloomers. Lovely for cutting.		The bronze-pink buds open to large high-centered blooms of blended carmine, pink, buff, and gold. The Countess unfurls in a most interesting symmetrical manner, which adds to its artisticness. An excellent bloomer under nearly all weather conditions. A fine, fragrant, cutting rose.
PLANT PAT. 594		
CAPISTRANO  (Germain's Seed Co.) \$2.00		CRESTED PINK MOSS \$1.50
This vigorous, upright rose produces an early abundance of large buds and flowers of a rich shade of deep glowing pink, with good fragrance. Capistrano grows about 5-6 ft. in height and is well clothed in heavy, leathery foliage.		The favorite of the pink mosses and probably the one your grandmother had. The unopened buds are charming with their three crested or tufted sepals. The full blown rose is very double and pleasantly fragrant. It is best used in the background of your garden.
PLANT PAT. 922		
CAPRICE	\$1.50	CRIMSON GLORY (Kordes) \$1.50
A red blend with a reverse of yellow on a vigorous, glossy reddish-green bushy plant. A prolific bloomer for us and very vigorous. Should be wonderful along the coast. Takes partial shade.		In some sections of the country this rose has been acclaimed the best red rose. Of perfect form, the large, double urn-shaped flowers are a deep velvety crimson and intensely fragrant. The plant is a vigorous, bushy grower and continuous bloomer. At best in warm climates.
CHARLES MALLERIN (Meilland '51)	\$2.50	DAINTY BESS \$1.25
Without reservation this is the most magnificent deep red rose we have ever seen. The buds have a blackish sheen to them and the petals have a marvelous velvety texture. The full blown rose is glorious, very fragrant, never fades blue, but may burn in a hot sun. It is a strong grower and may send out extremely vigorous ground canes which do not always make for a well-balanced plant.		Dusky pink with crimson stamens. One of the loveliest and most popular of the singles. Good as a cut flower if cut in a tight bud.
PLANT PAT. 933		
CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG  (Lammerts) \$2.25		DEBONAIR (Lammerts) \$1.75
Charlotte Armstrong has established itself as one of the finest roses ever introduced. It is a strong grower and produces an abundance of excellent blooms. The blood red buds are exceptionally long, pointed, and open to large roses which vary in color from blood red to a very deep pink according to weather conditions. A spreading grower with good foliage. Best in warm climates.		Here is an exceptionally fine summer and fall rose of primrose yellow. The flower is very double, about 50 petals, and the plant has excellent glossy, disease resistant foliage. Bud is high centered, of medium size, and fine for cutting.
PLANT PAT. 455		PLANT PAT. 677
CHRISTOPHER STONE	\$1.50	DUCHESS of PENA RANDA \$1.25
This large, vivid scarlet rose with a velvety crimson sheen in the open flower will be one of the most brilliant and colorful in your garden. The bud is long, pointed, and moderately fragrant. The foliage is a bronzy green that may mildew and rust in those areas where such diseases are a problem.		Here is an appealing color. The buds are brilliant orange, opening to coppery apricot. However, this color does change at different times of the year and as the flower ages. The plant is a strong grower with plenty of glossy, light green foliage, and an abundance of fragrant blooms.
ELLEN WILLMOTT	\$1.50	
		Creamy ivory, flushed pink with red stamens. Rated as the finest of the singles in England.



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 please add 50¢ handling charge. (2) Please add 50¢ for each tree rose for handling and shipping. (3) If in
 California please add 3% sales tax.

PLEASE ENCLOSE FULL PAYMENT WITH ORDER.

Total No. Bushes.....

Date.....

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Quantity	Variety (*A.A.R.S.)	Each	Total	Quantity	Variety (*A.A.R.S.)	Each	Total	Quantity	Variety (*A.A.R.S.)	Each	Total
	Angels Mateu	\$1.50			Lady Forteviot	\$1.50			Susan Louise	\$1.50	
	Autumn	1.50			Lady Trent	1.50			*Sutter's Gold	2.25	
	Blanche Mallerin	2.00			*Lowell Thomas	2.00			Suzon Lotthe	2.00	
	*Capistrano	2.00			Lulu	1.25			Sweet Sixteen	1.75	
	Caprice	1.50			Lydia	1.50			*Taffeta	2.00	
	Charles Mallerin	2.50			Mark Sullivan	1.75			Talisman	1.25	
	*Char. Armstrong	2.25			McGredy's Sunset	1.75			*Tallyho	2.00	
	Christopher Stone	1.50			McGredy's Yellow	1.50			Texas Centennial	1.50	
	*Chrysler Imperial	2.50			*Mirandy	2.25			*The Chief	1.75	
	Countess Vandal	1.50			*Mission Bells	2.00			The Doctor	1.50	
	Crested Pink Moss	1.50			Mme. Cochet-Cochet	1.50			*Tiffany	3.00	
	Crimson Glory	1.50			Mme. Henri Guillot	2.00					
	Dainty Bess	1.25			*Mojave	2.75					
	Debonair	1.75			Mrs. Edward Laxton	1.50					
	Duch. of Penaranda	1.25			Mrs. Miniver	2.50					
	Eclipse	1.50			Mrs. P. S. DuPont	1.25			GRANDIFLORAS		
	Ellen Willmott	1.50			Mrs. Sam McGredy	1.50			Buccaneer	\$2.75	
	Ena Harkness	1.50			Neige Parfum	1.50			Carrousel	2.00	
	Etoile de Holland	1.50			Nev. Chamberlain	1.75			*Queen Elizabeth	3.00	
	Fandango	2.00			New Yorker	2.00					
	First Love	2.25			*Nocturne	2.00					
	*Forty-Niner	2.50			Numa Fay	1.50					
	Frau Karl Druschki	1.25			*Peace	2.50					
	*Fred Edmunds	2.00			Peach Blow	1.50					
	*Fred Howard	2.50			Picture	1.50					
	Girona	1.50			President Hoover	1.25					
	Golden Scepter	2.00			President Macia	1.50					
	Good News	2.00			*Rubaiyat	1.75					
	*Grande D. Charlotte	2.00			*San Fernando	1.75					
	*Helen Traubel	2.50			Saturnia	1.75					
	J. Otto Thilow	1.50			Show Girl	2.00					
	Juno	2.25			Signora	1.75					
	Korovo	1.50			Snowbird	1.50					
	*K. T. Marshall	1.75			Sonata	1.75					
	Total Col. 1				Total Col. 2				Total Col. 3		

PLEASE USE REVERSE SIDE

The above prices are for bare root plants only and do not apply to plants growing in containers.

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PLANTING AND CULTURAL HINTS

Open package as soon as received. If the roots are moist the plants may be planted at once. If, however, they appear dry, soak in water over night, and bury the entire bundle in a trench. Cover with earth and soak thoroughly. In three or four days the bushes will be ready to plant.

Cut off all bruised or broken roots with a sharp knife.

Loosen all labels, so as not to cut into plant.

Select a location free of tree or shrub roots, and exposed to at least half a day sun.

Dig a hole 18" to 24" in depth and width. If soil does not have good drainage, a gravel drain should be provided, Fig. 1.

It is always well to prepare the soil in advance of planting time. A mixture of 10% peat moss, 10% well rotted manure, and 10% alfalfa meal or rotted compost if available will produce excellent results. If neither of the latter two materials are available, use 15% peat moss and 15% manure. Mix well with 70% top soil.

Fill the hole half full of the mixture and firm well. Make a cone-shaped mound in center of hole, Fig. 1. Place crown of roots on cone, spreading roots, Fig. 2. Fill in above roots with soil and fill basin twice with water, Fig. 3. After water has settled, remainder of soil may be filled in, making sure the bud union is level or slightly above the level of the ground. In colder regions the bud union should be 2 inches below the surface of the ground. MOUND SOIL TEMPORARILY FOUR OR FIVE INCHES ABOVE THE BUD UNION TO PREVENT THE PLANT FROM BEING DRIED OUT BY WINDS, FROST HEAVES, ETC. BEFORE THE NEW FEEDING ROOTS ARE WELL ESTABLISHED. When growth starts, the soil should be removed to just below the bud union. Fig. 4.

All plants are moderately pruned. After planting, canes on bush roses should be pruned to six or eight inches while those on climbers should be 18 to 24 inches with the top bud pointing outward. Keep plants well watered all during the growing period.

Should you find a plant that is slower than the others in leafing out, make a frame around it and fill with sopping wet peat practically covering the entire plant. Usually this will bring the plant into full leaf within 10 days.

Roses prefer a soil slightly acid, but will tolerate a slightly alkaline soil. They seem to do well in both light and heavy soil, but *must*, however, have good drainage.

Roses are usually hungry and thirsty. One of our most common mistakes is not giving them sufficient water. Keep the ground moist. Water thoroughly each time. Frequency of watering depends on your soil, usually from one-to three-week intervals.

In the early spring, mulch rose beds with either cow manure, peat moss or lawn clippings. Manure is excellent if clean, but foul weeds and insect pests may be brought into the garden through it. Feed each plant a half teacup of a well-balanced commercial fertilizer every six weeks during the growing season.

If you do not use a mulch, cultivate the ground lightly after each watering; just enough to break the crust. Deep cultivating cuts the feeding rootlets.

Keep the roses well watered in summer. Allowing them to dry and go dormant causes the bushes to defoliate and sunburn.

Ground canes are the best wood on a rose bush. They are the soft new canes coming from around the bud union, with foliage and thorns identical to the older growth. Suckers come from below the bud union and have entirely different foliage, thorns and color. Suckers should be cut out as soon as identified.

PEST CONTROL

Roses, like all living plants, have insects and diseases to attack them. These may be controlled with little effort. The most important part of control is thoroughness and consistency. A program of spraying or dusting every ten days should be sufficient.

There are many effective sprays and dust on the market and new developments appear yearly, some of which are excellent. Often similar materials are sold under different trade names. We have found calcium polysulphide and fermate to be effective in the control of mildew and rust. Among the many excellent insecticides those containing malathion and lindane have proved to be very successful. In many sections combination sprays or dusts sold under various trade names give excellent control of disease and pests. A mixture of 9 parts of 325 mesh ground dusting sulfur to one part fermate has been used successfully as a dust in some areas. Consult local rose growers to discover what has given the greatest success in your community. Remember though that prevention is far better for your plants than attempting to cure an attack of rust, mildew, or blackspot.

A cleanup spray immediately after the winter pruning, consisting of 10 tablespoons of Bordeaux mixture to a gallon of water, is very effective in destroying fungi spores. This spraying should be repeated just before the buds break in the spring. Spray the ground around the plant, after raking up and burning the old leaves, as well as the plant.

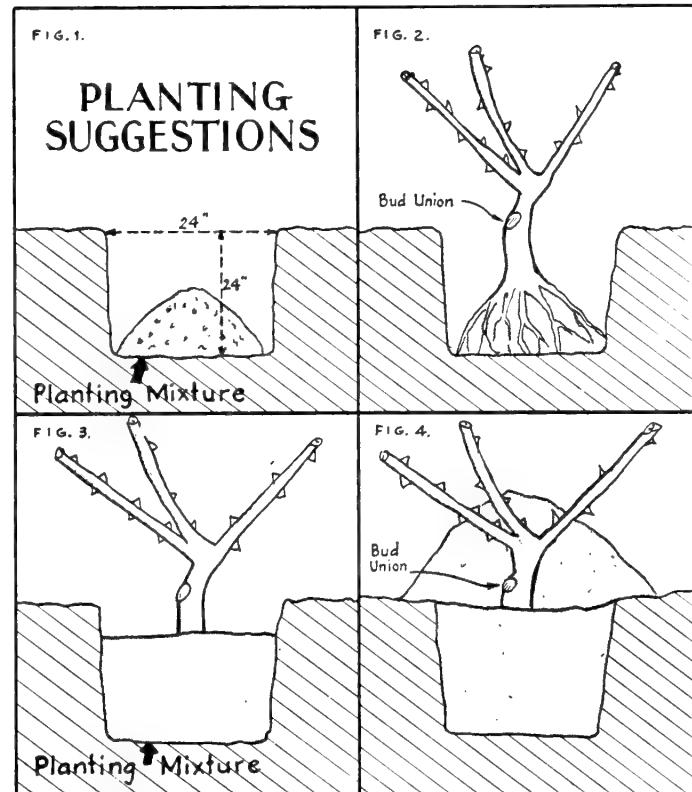
PRUNING

Pruning is very important. We cannot give complete instructions on pruning that will apply to all varieties and in all sections of the country. However, there are general rules that can be followed. As roses are produced on new wood, vigorous growth must be encouraged. During the dormant season, leave the new wood and cut out as much of the old wood as is possible and yet retain the form of the plant. Cut back about half of the previous year's growth, cutting $\frac{1}{4}$ inch above a leaf that is pointing on the outside of the bush. All dead and weak wood should be eliminated. Proper cutting of roses should be sufficient for summer pruning.

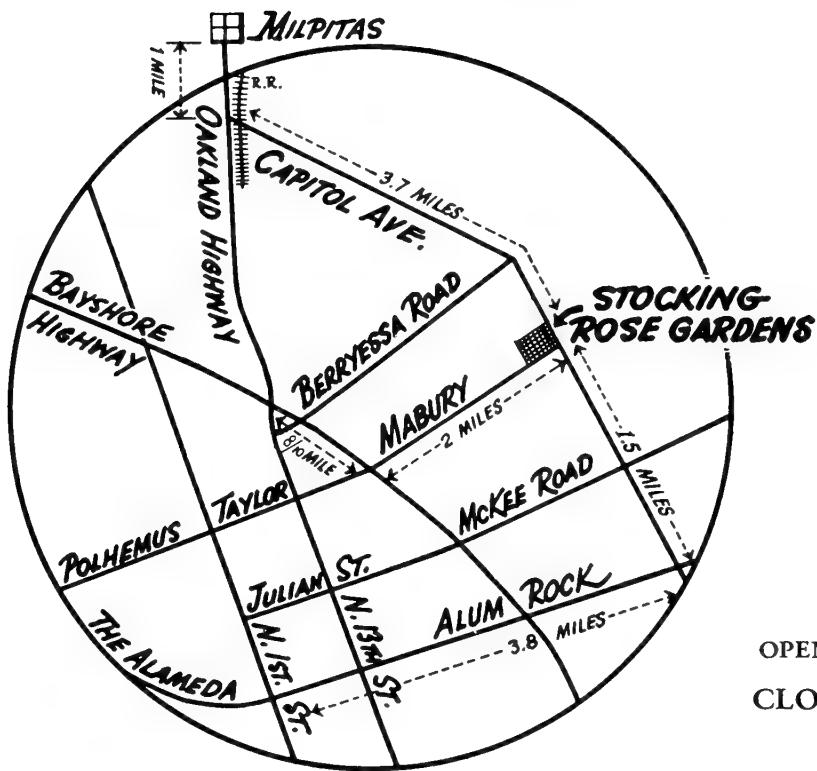
CUTTING ROSES

In cutting roses, always leave three or four leaves of the new blooming wood, cutting about $\frac{1}{4}$ inch above a leaf on the outside of the bush.

Cutting roses in the late afternoon seems to be the most satisfactory time. Double roses should be cut as the petals begin to unfurl, single roses as the petals separate showing the color. Tests have shown that many of the "home remedies" to prolong the life of cut flowers are ineffective or may even hasten wilting. It is best to give flowers a fresh, clean cut and remove all superfluous leaves before arranging. Plunge in water over night. Some of the commercial preparations which have proven beneficial when added to water are Survival 77, Floralife, and Bloomlife.



Pictured at the right are Clyde & Ramona Stocking and a portion of our sales area and the sales room in which many a lovely rose garden has been planned. From late December on the sales beds are filled with our freshly harvested bareroot stock from which local customers may make their selection of plants. In the background towers the redwood grove in which many garden clubs have enjoyed a picnic after a tour of the fields and test gardens.



We cordially invite you to follow the map at the left to visit our growing fields, test gardens, and sales yards. The fields are generally in good bloom from June through September. Our half mile of fence covered with climbers will not be as colorful as usual this coming season since a portion of it has recently been replanted. There will still be plenty of color though and an opportunity to see how the various varieties grow.

OPEN 8 A.M. TO 12 — 1 P.M. TO 5
CLOSED ON TUESDAY FROM
APRIL TO OCTOBER.

THE AMERICAN ROSE SOCIETY

This splendid organization of nearly ten thousand enthusiastic rose lovers, fosters the growing of better roses and real rose pleasure for the amateur. Their numerous publications are filled with interest and their advisory council is always ready to be of assistance to you. You are most cordially invited to become a member. We are members and shall be glad to send you an application blank, or write directly to the American Rose Society, Box 687, Harrisburg, Pa.

Bush Roses

ENA HARKNESS

This English rose is gaining in popularity for its excellent bright red color and velvety texture. It is most attractive in the bud and is fine for cutting although it is not too double in the open flower. Fine fragrance. Best in cool climates.

ETOILE DE HOLLANDE

\$1.50

One of the best of the red roses. A beautiful dark, velvety maroon red that seldom blues. Very fragrant and excellent as a cut flower. Growth sometimes rather slow the first year, after that a vigorous grower with an abundance of disease-resistant foliage. A prolific bloomer.

FANDANGO (Swim '50)

\$2.00

The bright scarlet buds of this fine rose open to brilliant cerise flowers that have a crisp, ruffled appearance. An early bloomer it has glossy foliage and makes a very compact and colorful show in your garden. Fragrance is mild.

PLANT PAT. 894

FIRST LOVE

\$2.25

An outstanding new rose for profusion of bloom. The flowers are a dainty rose-pink shading to dawn pink and are borne singly on long stems. The buds are long, slender and urn-shaped with each of its 20-30 petals coming to a sharp point. Mild fragrance. Fine for cutting.

PLANT PAT. 921

FORTY-NINER (H. Swim)

\$2.50

A most brilliant rose of vivid Oriental red with a reverse of chrome yellow changing to straw yellow. Buds are well shaped and have from 25 to 40 petals. Moderately fragrant. Plant is a strong grower with medium size, dark glossy foliage. A distinct novelty, which is at its best in the spring and fall.

PLANT PAT. 792

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI

\$1.25

This hybrid perpetual is one of the oldest in commerce today and one of the purest whites. The buds are large, long-pointed, tinged with carmine pink and open to snow-white blooms. At its best in the warmer climates.

FRED EDMUND

\$2.00

For our coastal regions and in the cooler climates, Fred Edmunds is a glorious rose. The slender pointed buds of burnt orange, open to beautiful roses of 25 petals of coppery orange changing to soft apricot. The plant is a moderate, bushy grower with beautiful glossy, dark green foliage.

PLANT PAT. 731

FRED HOWARD (Howard and Smith '51)

\$2.50

This 1952 All American Selection is an extremely vigorous grower. The foliage is glossy, quite disease resistant, and covers the large bush very well. The pale yellow to buff flowers are borne singly on sturdy stems. The flower is large and very double.

PLANT PAT. 1006

GIRONA

\$1.50

A good strong grower of great productivity and fine fragrance. The buds are long, pointed, of fine form, and are turkey red and golden yellow; a most pleasing combination. The plant is a strong upright grower, with long, sturdy stems, having leathery, disease-resistant foliage.

GOLDEN SCEPTER (Spek)

\$2.00

A new golden yellow rose of profuse blooming habits. The buds are high-centered, semi-double, compact and of a deeper color than Eclipse. This is probably not too good an exhibition rose for the flowers tend to come in clusters. You will like it for its profusion of bloom. Foliage is a dark, glossy green. Plants are open and free branching.

PLANT PAT. 910

GOOD NEWS (Meilland '40)

\$2.00

The buds of coppery pink open slowly to a very large double blossom of 60 or more petals of a soft, satiny, pale pink. The plants are vigorous and tend to grow tall but do not become "leggy" as the foliage is maintained to the ground.

PLANT PAT. 426

GRANDE DUCHESSE CHARLOTTE

\$2.00

These long, claret red to chestnut red buds open to firm petalled blooms of tomato red. In the open flower the petals recurve to make a delightful relaxed rose of artistic beauty with a faint carnation fragrance. Plants are tall, vigorous, and well branched with blooms that are borne singly on sturdy stems. A good cutting rose.

PLANT PAT. 774

HELEN TRAUBEL (Swim '52)

\$2.50

This lovely All American Selection will produce quantities of luminous apricot to sparkling pink blossoms depending upon the weather. The buds are long, tapering, and open to a large full blown bloom of excellent fragrance. The plant will be one of the largest in your garden with foliage that is disease resistant. It is an excellent bloomer and will produce quantities of blossoms the first year.

PLANT PAT. 1028

J. OTTO THILOW

\$1.50

This is one of the finest, most perfectly formed pink roses. The flower is large, double, high centered and of a glowing rose pink. A constant bloomer. Growth is vigorous and with an abundance of thick leathery foliage.

JUNO (Swim '50)

\$2.25

Extraordinarily large clear pink flowers make this rose unique. The 40 petalled blooms are high centered and very graceful. The color is pleasing as it fades to a softer pink. Foliage is semi-glossy and leathery. The stems are short and very stout.

PLANT PAT. 895



Bush Roses

KOROVO

A popular rose, especially in the southern states. Its color is old rose, shaded peach. The buds have beautiful form and are delightfully fragrant. The plant is an excellent grower with fine disease-resistant foliage.

K. T. MARSHALL



\$1.50

A lovely bloom of warm clear pink which has heavily textured petals. Nicest in the bud and half-open bloom. Fruity fragrance. Good leathery foliage and nice stems for cutting.

PLANT PAT. 607

LADY FORTEVIOT

\$1.50

It is a deep golden yellow changing to deep apricot and having a very pleasing fragrance. A vigorous, bushy grower with glossy, bronzy green foliage and a continuous bloomer. Excellent in nearly all sections, but particularly recommended for coastal climate.

LADY TRENT

\$1.50

An excellent English rose of coppery orange. Buds are high-pointed and open to a compact double bloom of 50 petals. The dark green glossy foliage is exceptionally free of disease.

LOWELL THOMAS

\$2.00

 This yellow rose is one of the best of the newer roses. The nicely formed buds of chrome yellow open to large flowers of rich yellow with a moderate fragrance. The plant is a strong grower with large, dark green foliage that has been free of disease.

PLANT PAT. 595

LULU

\$1.25

Beautiful tapering salmon-rose buds make this semi-double rose of about ten petals a delightful addition to any garden. Its color and form make it ideal for corsages.

LYDIA (Robinson '49)

\$1.50

Intense saffron yellow flowers on a bushy plant whose dark glossy foliage has a leathery texture make this a most desirable rose. The medium sized flowers are high-centered, mildly fragrant and borne abundantly. Lydia is our deepest non-fading yellow.

MARK SULLIVAN

\$1.75

For a display of dazzling color, Mark Sullivan is the rose to produce it. A strong growing plant with dark green foliage, it produces an abundance of flowers throughout the season. The ovoid buds are golden yellow heavily veined with rose pink and cerise; a brilliant display of color in the open flower. This rose is at its best in warm climates.

PLANT PAT. 599

McGREDY'S SUNSET

\$1.75

If you are looking for an excellent bedding rose for a mass of orangish-yellow high-centered blooms tinted with red, McGredy's Sunset will be ideal. The plants are bushy and the foliage a bronzy green. It is a prolific bloomer that grows to perfection in a cool climate.

PLANT PAT. 317

McGREDY'S YELLOW

\$1.50

A really fine rose and a very prolific grower and bloomer. Flowers are large and of a bright buttercup yellow of good form. Foliage is glossy, dark green with deep reddish green stems. This is truly one of our finest yellows.

MIRANDY



\$2.25

A very large full rose of 40-50 petals of rich red with black shadings which is one of the most fragrant roses. Plants are upright, of medium height and heavy foliaged. Hot, dry weather is a "must" for this plant as it will "ball" and fail to open properly in cooler climates where it is also subject to mildew.

PLANT PAT. 632

MISSION BELLS



(Germain's Seed Co.)

\$2.00

An early blooming deep salmon pink rose. The long pointed buds, usually borne singly on a stem, open to full centered flowers of average fragrance. The plant is exceptionally vigorous in growth and rangy in habit and seemingly quite resistant to disease. An excellent rose.

PLANT PAT. 923

MME. COCHET-COCHET

\$1.50

The long pointed buds of coppery pink, slushed orange at the base open to large beautifully formed satiny pink flowers with gold at the base. These unusually free flowering plants grow tall with fine foliage. An exceptional rose for southern U. S.

MME. HENRI GUILLOT (Mallerin)

\$2.00

The long urn shaped buds of orange, coral, and red have made this rose one of the most deservedly popular in the country. The open flower is camellia shaped and the petals have a heavy texture. Foliage is a heavy dark green that covers the plant to the ground. Excellent for cutting.

PLANT PAT. 337

MOJAVE (Swim '54)



\$2.75

The 1954 hybrid tea All American Rose Selection is an orange colored rose of striking brilliance with shades of scarlet and vermillion. One of its greatest assets in addition to its unusual color is its profusion of bloom. The beautifully tapered buds are produced singly on long stems and are ideal for cutting. Plants are upright and vigorous. Only slight fragrance. Foliage is a dark green.

PLANT PAT. 1176

MRS. EDWARD LAXTON

\$1.50

A fine English rose that deserves to be more widely planted. The ovoid buds open to very double flowers of luminous old rose with flamingo-orange undertones. Fine for cutting. Foliage is heavy, dark green, and very disease resistant. Mild fragrance.

MRS. MINIVER

\$2.50

This cardinal red rose is probably the most dazzlingly bright of all the reds. It has about 20 large, ruffled petals which are arranged in a loose, artistic fashion.

PLANT PAT. 725



Bush Roses

MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT	\$1.25	PICTURE	\$1.50
The pointed buds of medium size and of a reddish yellow tint open to a fragrant semi-double blossom of golden yellow. It is one of the most prolific bloomers of the yellow roses. Plants are bushy and foliage is disease resistant.			
MRS. SAM McGREDY	\$1.50		
The wonderful combination of copper, salmon, and pink have made this a most popular rose. Buds are large and long pointed. The flowers are double, fragrant, and a pleasing coppery-pink. Foliage is glossy and a dark, reddish green.			
NEIGE PARFUM	\$1.50		
One of the most fragrant roses. The long, well formed bud is creamy white, but with faint shadings of lemon at the base, and opens to peony shaped flower of pure white. These flowers are produced on long stems from a medium full plant, clothed in dark, heavy foliage.			
NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN	\$1.75		
For beautifully formed buds with a high center this rose is hard to beat. The color is somewhat similar but softer than Mrs. Sam McGredy, burnt orange and buff. The plant is a strong grower with fine foliage.			
PLANT PAT. 428			
NEW YORKER (Boerner '47)	\$2.00		
An attractive double red rose that is excellent for cutting. The blooms are borne on sturdy stems and do not blue under normal conditions. Plants are vigorous and somewhat spreading. A showy rose that will give you much satisfaction.			
PLANT PAT. 823			
NOCTURNE (Swim)	\$2.00		
One of the newer red roses. The buds which are long and streamlined, are very dark red with blackish sheen. Plant is a strong bushy grower with dark green foliage. Moderately fragrant. Will mildew in cooler climates. Best in very warm, dry climate.			
PLANT PAT. 713			
NUMA FAY	\$1.50		
A consistent bloomer that will produce large numbers of very double flowers that are excellent for cutting. The coral pink buds with an orange salmon base open to large blooms of a satiny texture. Plants and foliage are both vigorous. We like this rose better each year.			
PEACE (Meilland '45)	\$2.50		
Peace is one of the finest roses ever introduced. The large primrose yellow buds, tinged cerise become lighter as the flower opens and the watermelon shades of the edges become more intense. It is a very strong grower with excellent dark green, leathery disease resistant foliage and sturdy stems. Truly it is the "Queen of the Show."			
PLANT PAT. 591			
PEACH BLOW	\$1.50		
A beautifully formed fragrant double rose of peach pink, flushed and veined rose pink, with a golden base, produced on strong stems. Excellent for cutting. Plant is a very vigorous grower with dark green, leathery, disease-resistant foliage. Excellent in coastal areas.			
RUBAIYAT			\$1.75
A brilliant rose-red with a long, graceful bud. The color in the half-open flower is accentuated by the reverse side of the petal which is several shades lighter. A tall, vigorous grower with dark green foliage and strong stems. Best in warm areas.			
PLANT PAT. 758			
SAN FERNANDO (Morris)			\$1.75
This is a satisfactory new red rose for warmer climates. Buds are long, pointed, and open to double non-fading flowers of glowing scarlet with exceptionally strong fragrance. Plant is a strong upright grower with heavy, semi-glossy foliage.			
PLANT PAT. 785			
SATURNIA			\$1.75
Probably the best and most spectacular of the bi-colors. The long, pointed buds are high-centered and open to a brilliant cardinal red flower with a reverse of salmon, yellow, and copper. Excellent dark green foliage and a fruity fragrance. Especially fine in a coastal climate.			
PLANT PAT. 349			
SHOW GIRL (Lammerts)			\$2.00
The long, very deep pink buds and flowers of Show Girl make it a distinctive rose. Stems are long and sturdy and fine for cutting. The plant is a strong grower with dark green foliage. It is a prolific bloomer.			
PLANT PAT. 646			
SIGNORA			\$1.75
This rose from Italy is a real masterpiece, in both plant and bloom. Long bud of a warm burnt sienna opening to a lighter hue toward mandarin. The plant is a tall grower (4 ft.) with every bloom on a long, strong stem. The foliage is handsome. (Colle Oppio Gold Medal 1935.)			
PLANT PAT. 201			
SNOWBIRD			\$1.50
Here is one of the best white roses under most conditions. The medium sized buds are especially attractive and possess fine fragrance. The high centered blooms open to large, very double, flat flowers that appear to be somewhat tufted. The foliage is excellent and the plant free-blooming.			



Bush Roses

SONATA

\$1.75

An excellent cut rose and fine for exhibition. The long pointed buds are of cochineal red which changes to a lively deep pink as the flower ages. Blooms are borne on long sturdy stems with foliage that has a good leathery texture. May fade at times.

PLANT PAT. 732

SUSAN LOUISE

\$1.50

This lovely rose has proven satisfactory wherever grown. A seedling of the Belle of Portugal, but a bush rose and a continuous prolific bloomer. Bud is long and slender and of a deeper shade of pink than its parent; stems are long and firm. Growth is extremely vigorous and practically thornless. No garden is complete without Susan Louise.

SUTTER'S GOLD (Swim '50)



\$2.25

An exquisite rose with its long, pointed buds of orangish-yellow shaded orange and red. The half-opened flower is lovely with its spiralled center and fine fragrance. Blooms are borne singly on long stems and the plant is excellent for repeat bloom. Foliage is dark green and very resistant to disease.

PLANT PAT. 885

SUZON LOTTHE (Meilland '50)

\$2.00

One of the loveliest and most fragrant of the soft colored pinks when it is just right. The coloring is a delicate peach-pink at the center with a deeper pink at the edge of the petals. Bushes are extremely strong with excellent light textured foliage.

PLANT PAT. 934

SWEET SIXTEEN (W. E. Lammerts)

\$1.75

Here is a superb rose, particularly adapted to coastal areas. The long slender buds open to beautifully formed flowers of light pink with shades of rose and gold. These sweetly scented blooms are borne on strong stems and are excellent cut flowers.

PLANT PAT. 631

TAFFETA (Dr. Lammerts)

\$2.00

Resembling the old favorite, Mrs. Sam McGredy, Taffeta is outstanding in its ability to produce long stemmed, perfectly formed, fragrant buds of pink to salmon, with varying color combinations. Plant is a strong, upright grower with reddish green foliage. Best in warm climates.

PLANT PAT. 716

TALISMAN

\$1.25

The color is a mixture of red, yellow and copper in varying proportions. The bud is long pointed and opens to a medium size flower of the same colors. Extremely fragrant. An excellent cut flower. Growth is vigorous and upright. Mildews slightly.

TALLYHO (H. C. Swim)

\$2.00

Tallyho is an attractive large bi-color pink rose with a spicy fragrance. The large ovoid buds of Chinese red pale Chinese rose as the bloom opens. The color and form of the flower are both distinctive. Plants are strong growing and sturdy. Best adapted to warmer regions.

PLANT PAT. 828

TEXAS CENTENNIAL

\$1.50

Texas Centennial is a sport of the popular rose President Hoover. Type of growth is the same although it appears to have more and better foliage. Quite prolific in bloom. Flowers are brick red, having a faint tinge of gold, with a lighter center. This rose has shown up very well. A splendid exhibition rose.

PLANT PAT. 162

THE CHIEF (W. E. Lammerts)

\$1.75

We like this rose for its profuse blooming qualities and the excellent plant. The long buds of deep rose flame open to large fragrant flowers of flame, coral and copper. The plant is a very strong, upright, spreading grower with large dark green leathery foliage.

PLANT PAT. 456

THE DOCTOR

\$1.50

The Doctor is a fine addition to our small group of fine true pink roses. The buds are very long and pointed and open to very large double flowers of light pink. The plant is a medium grower, intensely fragrant.

TIFFANY (Lindquist '54)

\$3.00

The 1955 AARS hybrid tea winner is a magnificent silvery pink flushed golden yellow at the base. The large, double, high-centered, specimen flowers are borne singly on long stems that are ideal for cutting. Foliage is a dull, dark green that has been disease resistant for us. Plants are vigorous and free blooming. Richly fragrant. Not at its best for us in cool weather but perfectly satisfactory otherwise.

PLANT PAT. PENDING

GRANDIFLORA ROSES

A new class of roses resulting from the crossing of a hybrid tea with a floribunda and producing a plant with the best characteristics of each. Grandifloras distinctive features include: vigorous, tall growth; profuse bloom; flowers borne in clusters and also singly on long stems; blossoms slightly smaller but having the same lovely bud and flower form as hybrid teas.

BUCCANEER (Swim '52)

\$2.75

Clear, bright yellow flowers on long stems that hold their color until the end in nearly all kinds of weather make Buccaneer a most desirable rose. Plants are extremely vigorous and may get to be five or six feet by their second year in the garden. Foliage is a rich green and clothes the upright but well-branched plant to the ground. Excellent repeat bloom.

PLANT PAT. 1119

CARROUSEL (Duehrsen)

\$2.00

A vivid dark red grandiflora that is shorter than the other two roses in this class. The flowers hold their color very well and are practically unfaded at petal fall. Does not blue. Fully opened flowers are three to four inches across. Foliage is excellent and disease resistant. Excellent keeping qualities as a cut flower.

PLANT PAT. 1066



QUEEN ELIZABETH (Lammerts '54)

\$3.00

The delightful, clear fresh pink blooms of this 1955 grandiflora AARS winner and the sturdy plant make it truly worthy of the charming Queen for whom it is named. Flowers have a high-centered hybrid tea form and are borne singly and in clusters on nearly thornless stems. Plants are extremely vigorous and may grow to six feet or more, always producing a profusion of bloom. Foliage is an excellent deep glossy green that is nearly disease proof and covers the plant to the ground. Mild fragrance. Its keeping qualities as a cut flower are excellent. This is a rose you will be proud to have in your garden, but don't plant it in the front row as it grows so very tall.

PLANT PAT. PENDING

POLYANTHA and FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Polyantha are the small roses usually produced in clusters and commonly called "Baby Roses". Floribunda is a new classification of the larger flowering varieties of the polyanthas which are becoming more popular. They are most effectively used in mass plantings along driveways, walls or for border planting, etc. Floribundas come in a wide range of colors and produce a mass of color over a long period of time. All of those listed below are quite free of disease.

BABY BLAZE (Boerner '54)

\$2.25

Similar in color to the popular climber, Blaze. The bright, cherry red flowers have a white eye and are borne in great profusion throughout the season. The bushy plants produce flowers in large clusters which drop their petals neatly at the end. The disease resistant foliage is a soft, clean green.

PLANT PAT. PENDING

BETTY PRIOR

\$1.50

For a mass of color and continuous bloom Betty Prior is one of the best. The single blooms, produced in large clusters, are shrimp pink on the inside of the petal and carmine pink on the outside. The plant is a very strong grower (5 to 6 ft.) with healthy, leathery foliage.

PLANT PAT. 340

CECILE BRUNNER

\$1.50

The sweetheart rose. Buds small, beautifully formed. Flowers light pink with yellow at the base of the petals. A continuous bloomer and fragrant.

COCORICO (Meilland '51)

\$2.00

A gay and sassy orange-red flower that darkens as it ages and in cooler weather. Flowers are large and semi-double (about ten petals) and borne in large clusters on a vigorous, upright, free-blooming plant. Good for cutting. Continuous Bloom.

PLANT PAT. 1193

DENNY BOY (Marsh)

\$1.75

Often called a "miniature Peace" this 50-60 petalled rose is only two inches across when fully opened. The compact peach buds are very attractive and are borne both singly and in clusters. As the flowers open and age the petals become pink, coral, and finally ruby red. The plant is a bushy, compact grower that has been free of disease. Fine for cutting.

PLANT PAT. 1105

FASHION

(Boerner)

\$2.00

An exquisite newer floribunda in a luminous coral pink color. The clusters of oriental red buds open to soft clear coral blossoms of slightly ruffled petals and golden yellow stamens. Plants are bushy and the foliage is finely cut and somewhat susceptible to mildew and rust where such diseases are a problem. Lovely in borders or clusters.

PLANT PAT. 789

FLORADORA

\$1.50

 Here is one of the new floribundas which is different from any other rose of its type. It is a brilliant cinnabar with shades of scarlet geranium red. The 25-petaled rosette flowers are borne in small clusters and in our coastal climate blooms about eight months of the year. The plant is a tall grower, 4 feet, with excellent bronzy green foliage.

FRENSHAM

\$1.50

An outstanding new deep scarlet crimson floribunda that produces masses of flowers on a bushy plant. The buds open to a wide flower of approximately 15 petals with golden yellow stamens. The flowers do not fade, repeat bloom is excellent, and plants are quite disease resistant. Upright, bushy habit. A fine addition in its class.

GARNETTE

\$1.50

This small brilliant red rose about two inches in diameter has long been a favorite florist flower. Plants are compact with new foliage of a reddish green color. The blossoms may blue in some localities.

GOLDILOCKS (Boerner)

\$1.50

 Here is the best yellow floribunda we have seen so far. The buds are of medium size and open to very double, fragrant blooms which are produced in clusters. The plant is a vigorous, bushy grower, well covered with leathery, glossy, disease-resistant foliage.

PLANT PAT. 672

JIMINY CRICKET (Boerner '54)

\$2.50

The 1955 AARS floribunda winner features gay, tangerine buds that soften to coral orange in the open flower making for a most appealing rose. Flowers are borne singly and in clusters on a bushy, compact plant with bronzy green to dark green foliage. Plant is disease resistant and gives excellent repeat bloom. Its keeping qualities as a cut flower are fine. Mild fragrance.

PLANT PAT. PENDING

LILIBET (Lindquist '54)

\$2.00

 In addition to its delicate pink coloring, Lilibet, has a most excellent plant to recommend itself. The plants are very bushy, and compact with deep reddish-green foliage that is glossy and disease resistant. Each bud is perfection and is excellent for corsages and other arrangements. The coloring of the bud is a soft rose pink; the open flowers are a delicate pastel pink with yellow stamens. It is as lovely as its namesake, Queen Elizabeth II.

PLANT PAT. 1209

MA PERKINS

(Boerner '53)

\$2.00

The 1953 All American Award floribunda is a lovely shade of soft coral shell pink. The buds are urn shaped and have tinges of red in the outer petals. The bush is a sturdy, compact grower with rich green foliage that has been quite disease resistant. The plant is well covered to the ground. Blossoms have a mild fragrance.

PLANT PAT. 1143



MARCO KOSTER

\$1.25

A low compact growing polyantha (24 inches) with an abundance of medium sized, disease-resistant foliage. The blooms, which are ovoid in form, are orange-red in color and are produced in clusters throughout the season.

MASQUERADE (Boerner '49)

\$2.00

Here is a novelty rose that is certain to cause much comment in your garden. Imagine a plant with golden yellow buds, and flowers of yellow, pink, lemon, red, and sometimes orange all blooming on one plant at the same time. These are the color changes through which this flower passes. Clusters are large, 25-30. Plants are vigorous, open and have good deep green foliage.

PLANT PAT. 975

PINK BOUNTIFUL

\$1.50

These semi-double roses, with perfectly formed buds, are two-toned pink. Blooms are produced in clusters throughout the season. An excellent cut flower. Plant is a strong, bushy grower.

PLANT PAT. 601

**(H. C. Swim)**

\$1.75

Here is a perfectly formed polyantha rose (baby) with long, slender buds. The open flower is about two inches across. Pinkie is very floriferous, the blooms being produced in large clusters. It produces a very compact plant of about 24 inches with small, very disease-resistant foliage.

PLANT PAT. 712

PINOCCHIO (Boerner)

\$1.50

One of the best of the floribunda roses. The blooms come in fairly large clusters. The small pointed buds are salmon and gold changing to a soft clear pink. The plant is a bushy upright grower with an abundance of disease-resistant foliage. A continuous bloomer. Growth about 3 to 4 feet.

PLANT PAT. 484

POULSEN'S BEDDER (Poulsen)

\$1.50

A fine new polyantha for a profusion of rose-pink blossoms that are borne in large trusses. The plant is a vigorous upright grower with bronzy green foliage. It is very effective for a mass display of color and has excellent repeat bloom. Mild spicy fragrance.

RED FAVORITE (Tantau '51)

\$2.00

Deep glowing red blossoms make this a standout among the floribundas. The semi-double flowers are borne in huge trusses on a bushy plant that is seldom bothered with disease. Foliage is a deep glossy green. This is one of the best floribundas for us and it has not blued or burned. It is excellent as a cut flower.

PLANT PAT. 1189

RED PINOCCHIO (Boerner)

\$1.50

A popular addition to the Pinocchio group. The deep satiny carmine buds open to long lasting rich carmine flowers, which deepen in color and acquire a velvety cast as they open fully. The large clusters, interspersed with single blooms, have a delightful wild rose fragrance. The plants are bushy and rather upright producing quantities of flowers on long heavy shoots.

PLANT PAT. 812

ROSENELFE

\$1.50

This is one of the best of the floribundas for cut flowers. vigorous, upright growing plant with large leathery foliage. Buds are long pointed, double La France pink. Blooms are usually produced in small clusters.

SUNSHINE

\$1.50

A very lovely dwarf polyantha (about one foot) that is at its best in a cool climate. Flowers are small, double, of a golden orange and borne in clusters. It is a continuous bloomer with foliage free of mildew. Moderately fragrant.

THE FAIRY

\$1.50

The small coral pink buds open to very double blooms which are borne in large, arching sprays. The spreading plant (4-5 ft.) is very vigorous and a profuse bloomer. The foliage is a fine, glossy green that is disease and pest resistant.

**(Boerner '52)**

\$2.00

This '52 All American Selection is a sister seedling of Fashion. It is a glowing cherry-coral color. The flowers are high centered and have a very lovely form. Plants are upright in habit and will become 3 to 4 feet tall, making them ideal for hedging and mass effects. The large tresses of flowers have a spicy fragrance similar to carnations. Foliage is a rich dark green that is disease resistant.

PLANT PAT. 926

CLIMBING ROSES

AUTUMN

\$1.50

A climbing sport of the bush variety. Flowers are a deep burnt orange streaked with red. Moderately fragrant.

BLAZE

\$1.50

A spectacular climber that is similar to the popular Paul's Scarlet but is more recurrent in bloom. The cup-shaped blazing scarlet blooms are borne in clusters on a dark, leathery foliaged plant that is generally disease resistant.

CLG. CECILE BRUNNER

\$1.50

A strong growing climber which produces quantities of small, beautifully formed buds. The flowers are a light pink with yellow at the base of the petals. The small, soft green foliage is quite compact, forming an interesting background for the masses of pink buds and flowers.

CLG. CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG

\$3.00

The climbing sport of the ever-popular bush is too new for us to report on its habits. In the field this summer it has made excellent growth and appears to be very strong and sturdy. Foliage is fine.

PLANT PAT. 523

CHRISTOPHER STONE

\$1.75

This vivid scarlet flower with a velvety sheen is probably our brightest red climber. Flowers are large and very showy. Not as vigorous a grower as some of the other reds but very pleasing in effect.

PLANT PAT. 626

CLG. CRIMSON GLORY

\$2.50

This is a good red climber for warmer areas. The typical Crimson Glory blooms, large, high centered crimson blooms, are produced on strong stems over a long period on a compact, well clothed plant. The combination of excellent form, fascinating fragrance and profusion of blooms stamp it as a good red climber.

PLANT PAT. 736

DAINTY BESS

\$1.50

An excellent blooming single climber which is unfortunately more susceptible to foliage disease than is desirable. Its soft rose pink flowers and bright crimson stamens make it one of the loveliest of the single flowers. A fine repeat bloomer. Try planting a clematis at its base for a most pleasing effect.



CLG. DUCHESS OF PENARANDA	\$1.50	MERMAID	\$2.00
Brilliant orange buds opening to coppery-apricot blooms make this one of the best climbers in its color range. The color varies according to the season and age of the bloom for it does fade. Plants are vigorous and repeat bloom is abundant. The foliage is a light green and disease resistant.		These large single blossoms of sulfur yellow with amber stamens come in huge clusters but only several will open at a time. It is a profuse bloomer throughout the season. The foliage is glossy green and very disease resistant. Excellent as a ground cover.	
CLG. E. G. HILL	\$1.50	CLG. MME. HENRI GUILLOT	\$2.00
A good red climber producing very large blooms of dazzling scarlet shading to deeper red. This very double rose is exceedingly fragrant and seems to cut well. This good growing plant has healthy clean foliage and is a free bloomer. One of the better red climbers in the large bloom group.		An excellent appearing plant with heavy, dark green, leathery foliage. The buds are long and pointed and of a clear orange-coral and red with gold at the base of the petals. The opening buds are urn shaped and the open flower camellia shaped. It is very floriferous in the spring slowing down considerably during the summer and fall.	
CLG. ETOILE DE HOLLAND	\$1.50	PLANT PAT. 788	
A climbing sport of one of our best red roses. This beautiful dark, velvety maroon red seldom blues. Its great abundance of fragrant blooms are excellent for cutting. Often the growth is slow the first year, after that it is a very vigorous grower, with plenty of heavy disease-resistant foliage. The best red climber.		MRS. SAM McGREDY	\$1.75
CLG. GOLDILOCKS	\$2.50	We unhesitatingly recommend this as one of the very finest climbers. Its striking coppery-pink to salmon-pink blooms are produced incessantly throughout the season. The buds open to very full, double flowers of good fragrance. The plants are very vigorous and covered with an abundance of glossy green foliage which is a spectacular reddish-green when young.	
Masses of golden yellow flowers that repeat all summer long are characteristic of this sport of the best yellow floribunda. Growth is vigorous and the foliage is lush and extremely disease resistant. Will bloom the first year.		PLANT PAT. 394	
PLANT PAT. 1090		PAUL'S SCARLET	\$1.50
GOLDRUSH	\$1.50	A most spectacular rose in the spring. Entire bush is a mass of medium size, intense, vivid scarlet blooms, often producing a scattering of summer blooms.	
Lovely orange-yellow flowers, excellent repeat bloom and glossy, dark green foliage all combine to make this one of the more promising climbers both along the coast and in the interior.		PEACE	\$2.00
PLANT PAT. 1090		A remarkable sport of the bush Peace. The golden yellow buds flushed pink at the edges open slowly into large, ruffled blooms of pale yellow to cream with tinges of pink. The plants are as remarkable as the blooms with their strong stems, shining dark green foliage and vigor. Repeat bloom is fine.	
HIGH NOON 	(\$W. E. Lammerts)	PLANT PAT. 932	
(W. E. Lammerts)	\$2.50	PICTURE	\$2.00
A pillar type yellow climber of spectacular color. The medium sized buds are a bright golden yellow, usually borne singly, which lighten when open, giving forth a mild fragrance. The rich green foliage appears to be resistant to the usual rose diseases. The continuous blooming habits, even through the summer, make it a most satisfactory accent plant.		Picture is one of the best pink climbers. It is very prolific in blooming habit and one of the best for repeat bloom. The blossoms are the same high centered specimen type blooms as in the bush. Excellent for cutting.	
PLANT PAT. 704		PLANT PAT. 524	
CLG. HINRICH GAEDE	\$1.75	PINKIE	\$2.75
A medium growing climber for a limited space, producing a continuous array of brilliant flowers. The bud is a clear nasturtium red, opening to a large, very double flower of orange-red. The attractive bronze-green foliage is quite resistant to disease. A good brilliant colored climber.		This sport of the very floriferous polyantha has the same excellent blooming habit. The plant is completely covered in springtime with tresses of pink bloom. The repeat bloom is fine. It will make a delightful display in your garden.	
PLANT PAT. 244		PLANT PAT. 1076	
CLG. LADY FORTEVIOT	\$1.50	CLG. PINOCCHIO	\$2.50
An excellent climber for the cooler coastal areas. A very vigorous climber with glossy, bronze-green foliage that produces a continuous show of blooms. Its very deep golden-yellow to orange-yellow buds open to deep apricot blooms of exceedingly fine fragrance.		Strong sturdy canes and the same salmon-pink blooms that have made the floribunda so popular will be the reward of the gardener who plants this climber. Everblooming and fragrant.	
PLANT PAT. 244		PLANT PAT. 1142	
CLG. LOWELL THOMAS	\$2.75	CLG. RED TALISMAN	\$1.50
This climbing sport of its All American parent is an excellent addition to our list of climbers. Flowers are a clear lemon yellow and borne on long, sturdy stems. Foliage is a bright, deep, lustrous green that is disease resistant.		A fine red for early spring color. The large quantities of deep maroon-red buds are borne on long, strong stems suitable for cutting. In hot weather the buds pass to pink tones. The foliage is the typical Talisman light green.	
PLANT PAT. PENDING		CLG. RENAE (Moore '53)	\$2.75
Here is truly an everblooming climber that produces masses of apple-blossom pink flowers all season long on a nearly disease proof plant. Foliage is excellent and nearly thornless. The small "Cecile Brunner" type flowers have a pleasing fragrance. It is of medium growth and could be used for a ground cover.		PLANT PAT. 893	



SNOWBIRD	\$1.50	CLG. SUTTER'S GOLD	\$2.75
Although a good white climber is difficult to find, we feel that this is probably one of the best. The medium sized buds have a very attractive form and open to a pleasing many petalled flat flower. The foliage is a soft green. Fragrant.		Another climbing sport of an excellent bush variety that is too new to report on its habits. Its growth in the field this summer has been excellent and it features the same beautiful tapering buds and color that made it an All American winner. Foliage is excellent.	PLANT PAT. 1185
SOUVENIR de CLAUDIUS DENOYEL	\$1.50	CLG. TALISMAN	\$1.50
An excellent type pillar rose. The very fragrant buds open to bloom of rich crimson scarlet. One of the most prolific bloomers as it is the first to bloom in the spring and the last in the fall with good intermittent bloom.		A fine climber of a mixture of red, yellow and copper. The bud is long pointed, and opens to a medium sized flower. A very fragrant flower, suitable for cutting.	
SUNGOLD (Geo. C. Thomas, Jr.)	\$1.75	CLG. TEXAS CENTENNIAL	\$2.00
This is one of the finest yellow climbers. The buds are long, pointed and a clear golden yellow. As a rule, the buds come singly on long strong stems and are freely produced throughout the season. Disease resistant.		An extremely strong growing climber which produces an abundance of long stemmed blooms suitable for cutting. The long, erect stems produce large brick-red to carmine-red buds of excellent form, which open into huge rosy red full blooms.	PLANT PAT. 565

TREE ROSES

Tree or standard roses may be used in both formal and informal gardens, among your bush roses, along the drive, walk or boundary line, as tub plants, and in a variety of other ways. They often produce larger and lovelier blossoms than the bushes. For greatest effectiveness they should not be planted closer than six feet. It is also attractive to interplant a bush variety between each tree rose. We are offering tree roses in four different heights.

FULL STANDARDS—Our full standards are budded at 36 inches.

Charlotte Armstrong	Lilbet
Chrysler Imperial	Lydia
Crimson Glory	Mme. Henri Guillot
Ena Harkness	Mojave
First Love	New Yorker
Fred Edmunds	Peace
Frensham	Saturnia
Golden Scepter	Snowbird
Good News	Sutter's Gold
Helen Traubel	The Doctor
Jiminy Cricket	Tiffany
Lady Trent	

Price—\$5.00 each, Ten for \$45.00

WEEPERS—These standards are budded to a climbing variety at a height of six feet. The effect of the blanket of flowers cascading to the ground is a spectacular sight. A special metal frame or umbrella is required to support these plants. Write for list of available varieties.

Price—\$12.00 each (no discounts). Crating at cost.

Frame—\$6.00 each

Shipped Express collect.

All Tree Roses please add 50¢ for each tree rose for handling and shipping charges.

SOIL ANALYSIS

If you are not having the success with your roses which you desire and suspect that the difficulty may be a soil condition, we suggest that you have a soil analysis made. Among the many firms performing this service we especially recommend that of Harry Daunoy, 26 Farnham Place, Metairie 20, New Orleans, Louisiana who has established a fine record by his analysis and specific recommendations to rose growers for correcting soil deficiencies, etc.

PATIO STANDARDS—Our patio standards are budded at 24 inches.

Charlotte Armstrong	Lydia
Chrysler Imperial	Mme. Henri Guillot
First Love	Mojave
Helen Traubel	Peace
Jiminy Cricket	Tiffany
Lilbet	

Price—\$4.50 each, Ten for \$40.00

QUARTER STANDARDS—Our quarter standards are budded at ten inches. Limited quantity available.

Jiminy Cricket	Tiffany
Lydia	

Price—\$3.25 each, Ten for \$28.00

MINIATURE ROSES

A collection of miniature roses in red, yellow, white, and pink, is maintained at the nursery in four inch pots. These attractive little roses grow to a height of eight to twelve inches and are most useful as border plantings. Prices range from \$1.25-1.50. We do not ship the miniatures in the four inch pots but invite inquiries for quantity shipment in two inch bands.

COLLECTIONS

Climbing Floribundas

Goldilocks
Pinocchio
Pinkie

One each \$6.65
You save 1.10

Climbing Hybrid Teas

Charlotte Armstrong
Sutter's Gold
Peace
Mrs. Sam McGredy

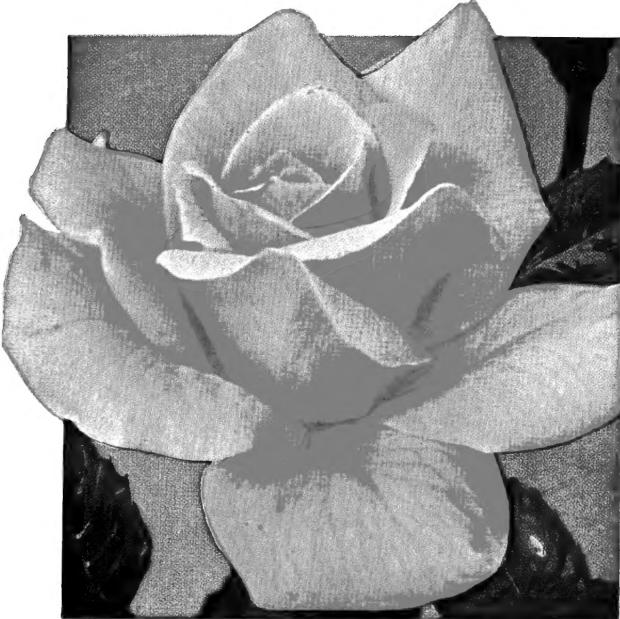
One each \$8.15
You save 1.35

Gay Floribundas

Jiminy Cricket
Red Favorite
Lilbet

One each \$5.60
You save .90

Climbers



PICTURE



CHARLOTTE
ARMSTRONG



PINOCCHIO



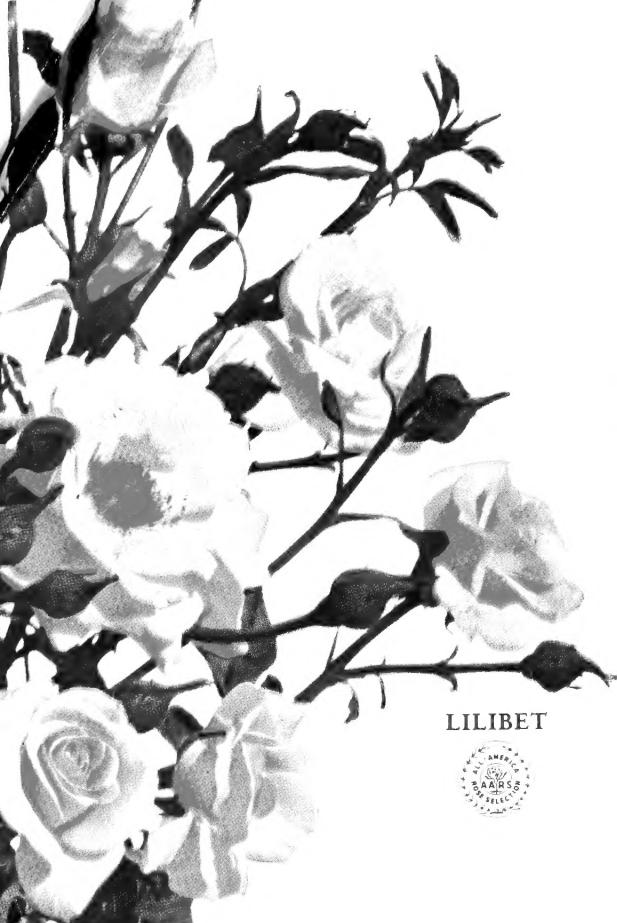
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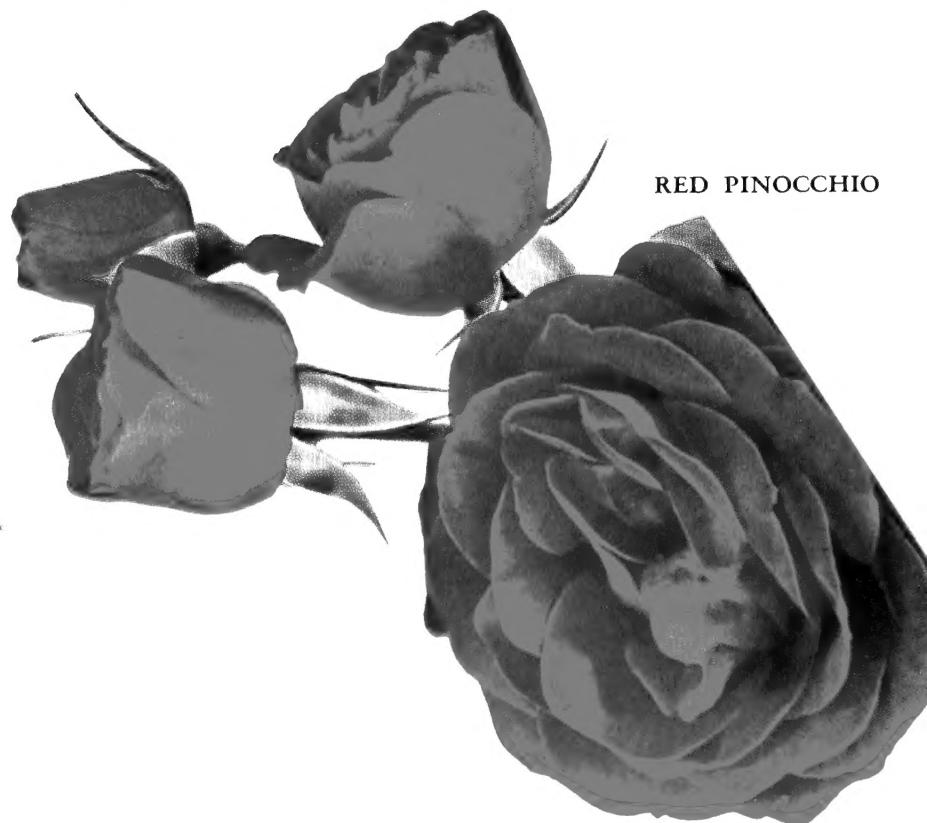
PINKIE

Pictured on this page are some of our newest and finest climbers. The individual flowers of all of them are exceptionally fine and the plants will produce quantities of bloom. If the canes are trained so that they are parallel with the ground, you will obtain more bloom. Climbers should not be pruned the first year but may be headed back if growth is too vigorous after the second or third year. Thinning may also be done then by removing several of the older and woodier canes.

Gay Floribundas for



LILIBET



RED PINOCCHIO

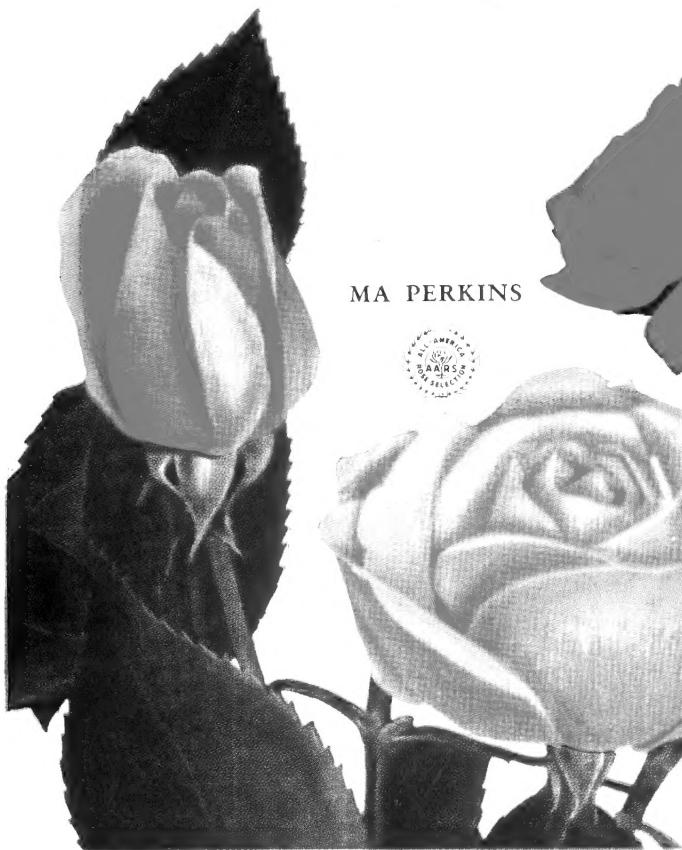


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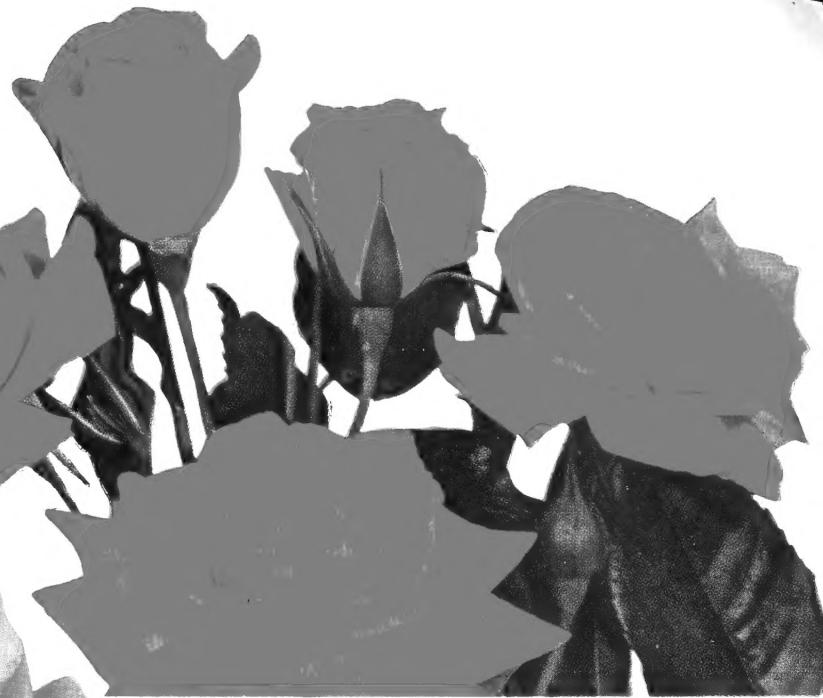


POULSEN'S BEDDER

Masses of Color



MA PERKINS



JIMINY CRICKETS



CARROUSEL



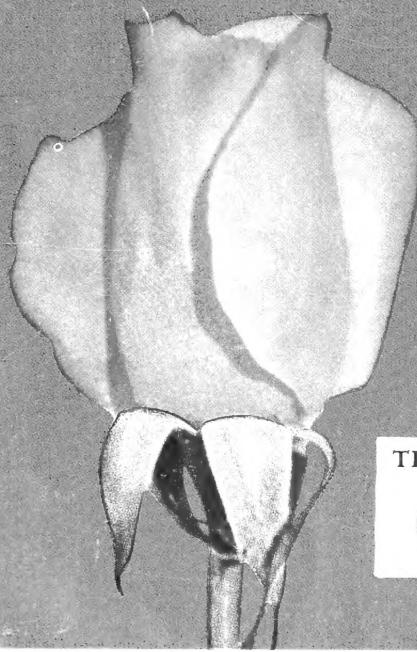
GOLDILOCKS



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JIMINY CRICKETS



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